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Title: SPACER-LESS TRANSISTOR
INTEGRATION SCHEME FOR HIGH-K GATE
DIELECTRICS AND SMALL GATE-TO-GATE
SPACES APPLICABLE TO SI, SIGE AND
STRAINED SILICON SCHEMES

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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